

PATENT 2936-0151P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

ARAI, Nobusige et al. Conf.:

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Group:

1746

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Examiner: Frankie STINSON

For:

WASHER HAVING A PARTIAL WASHING APPARATUS, AND WASHING APPARATUS

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 July 13, 2004

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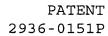
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated April 13, 2004, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes an Amended Claim Set and Remarks.